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IN THE
UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Inventor(s): Michael J. Erickson, et al.

Confirmation No.: 9738

Application No.: 09/917,982

Examiner: Ted T. Vo

Filing Date: July 30, 2001

Group Art Unit: 2122

Title: METHOD FOR JUST-IN-TIME UPDATING OF PROGRAMMING PARTS

Mail Stop Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
PO Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

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- (X) Response/Amendment () Petition to extend time to respond
() New fee as calculated below () Supplemental Declaration
(X) No additional fee
(X) Other: Return Post Card (fee \$)

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TOTAL CLAIMS	23	MINUS	23	= 0	X \$18	\$ 0
INDEP. CLAIMS	3	MINUS	3	= 0	X \$86	\$ 0
[] FIRST PRESENTATION OF A MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM					+ \$290	\$ 0
EXTENSION FEE	1ST MONTH \$110.00	2ND MONTH \$420.00	3RD MONTH \$950.00	4TH MONTH \$1480.00	\$ 0	
OTHER FEES						\$
TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE FOR THIS AMENDMENT						\$ 0

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Respectfully submitted,

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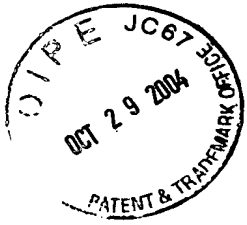
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AMENDMENT & RESPONSE

Sir:

Responsive to the non-final Office Action mailed July 30, 2004, please amend this application as follows.

IN THE CLAIMS begins on page 2 of this paper.

REMARKS begin on page 6 of this paper.